

**AMENDMENTS TO THE SPECIFICATION:**

Please amend this application by replacing the paragraph starting on page 3, line 27 of this application with the following amended paragraph:

In forms of the invention the sliding attachment (4) of the cap (2) to the strap (3) may be such that they cannot be detached without destroying one or other of them. In other forms it may be possible to detach them by, for example, applying pressure to the lug 11. It is not expected that the user will have any cause to remove or replace the cap (2). However this may provide means whereby the user can remove the cap (2) and obtain a dose in an emergency when the cap (2) is damaged in such a manner to prevent it from been used in the usual manner. This may be an additional advantage of an alternative form of the present invention.

Please amend this application by replacing the paragraph starting on page 5, line 15 of this application with the following amended paragraph:

The figures also show how the inhaler can be assembled. The main body (7) of the inhaler (1) is oriented so that the strap underlies the base of the main body (7). The mouthpiece nozzle (5) is inserted into the cap (2) and the combined cap (2) and nozzle (5) oriented so that the lug 11, which attaches the cap to the strap, is aligned with the strap. The combined cap and nozzle and the main body of the inhaler is then pushed together. The lug 11 causes the cap to be attached to the strap (3) and thus the rest of the inhaler. The abovementioned steps are, of course, best automated and various testing stages or steps can be included in the process. These steps may include checks to ensure that parts are correctly arranged in relation to one another. Tests may also check the functionality of the parts and any assembled subassemblies.